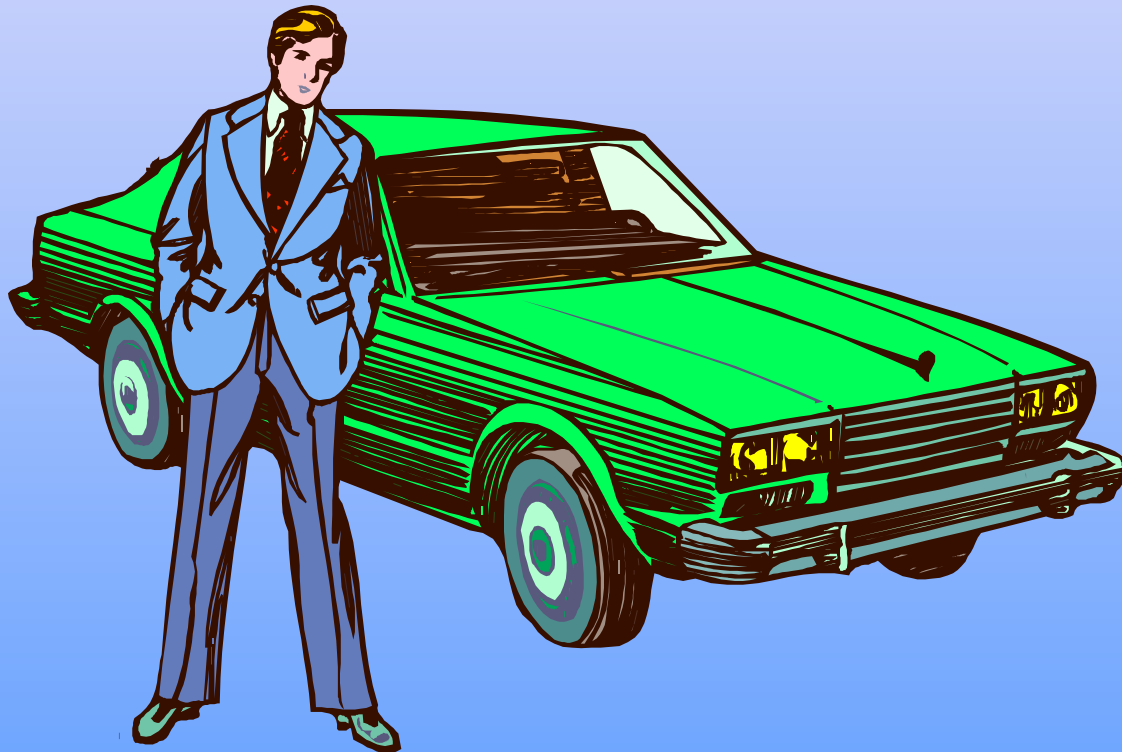


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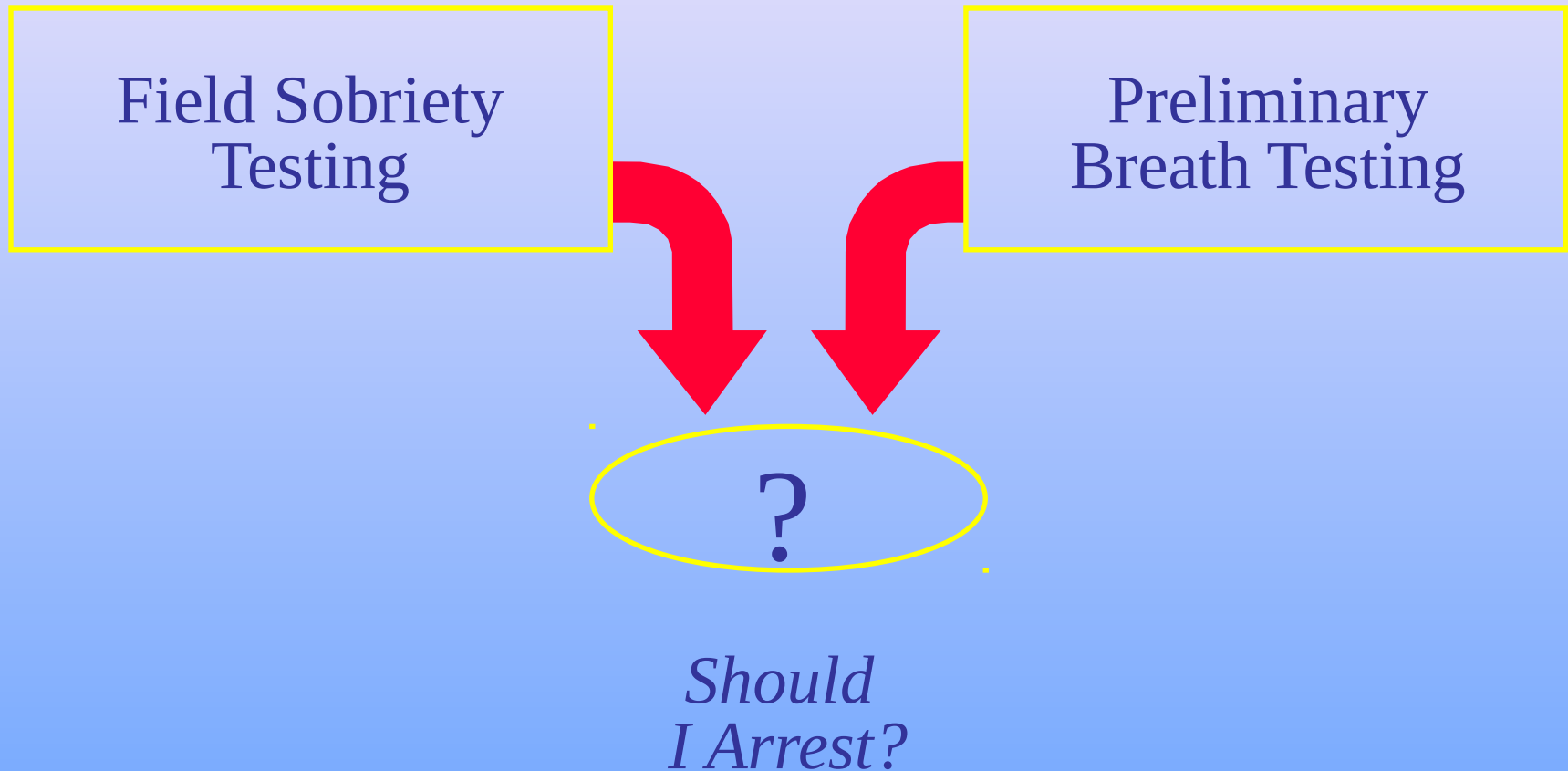


Session Objectives

Upon successfully completing this session, the participant will be able to:

- Describe the role of psychophysical and preliminary breath tests.
- Define and describe the concepts of divided attention and nystagmus.
- Discuss the advantages and limitations of preliminary breath testing.
- Discuss the arrest decision process.

Phase Three: Pre-Arrest Screening



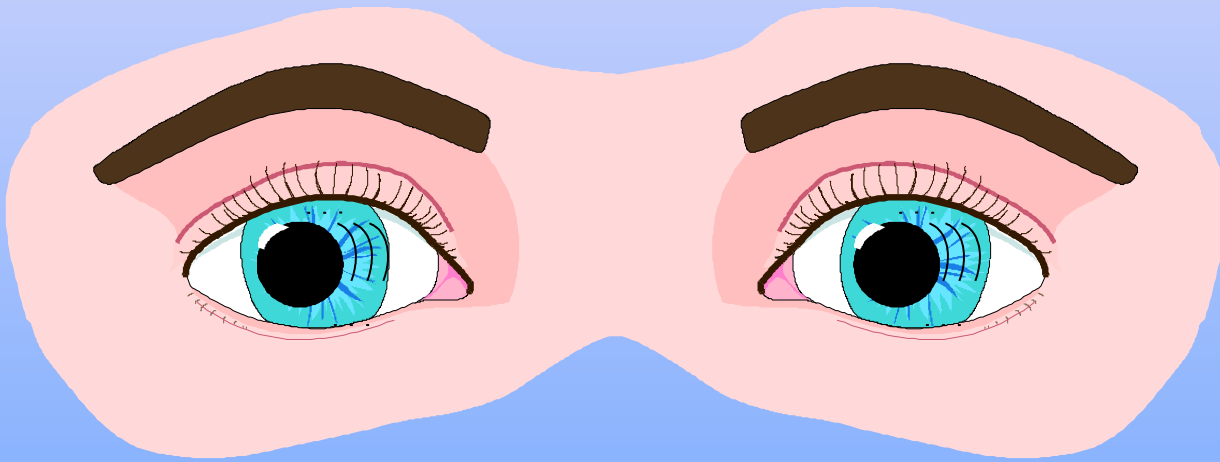
Psychophysical Tests



*Methods of examining
mental and/or physical impairment*

Nystagmus:

Involuntary Jerking of the Eyes



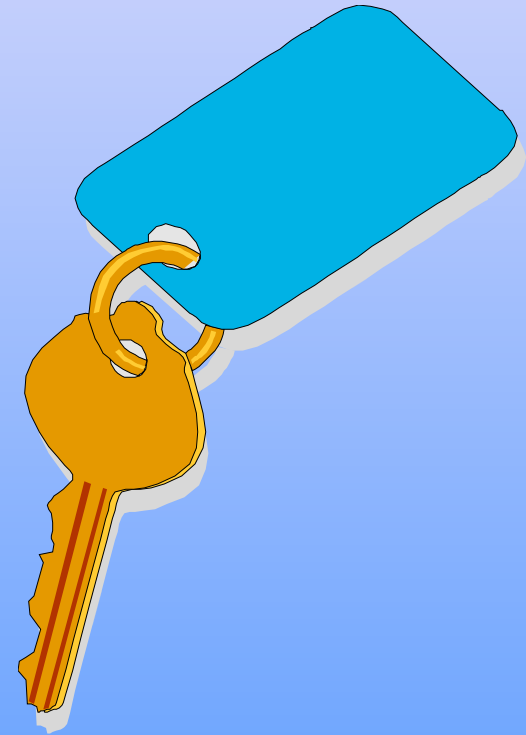
“Divided Attention”



...Concentrating on more than one thing at a time (mental tasks and physical tasks)

Typical Simultaneous Capabilities Required for Driving

- Information Processing
- Short-term Memory
- Judgment/Decision Making
- Balance
- Quick Reactions
- Clear Vision
- Small-Muscle Control
- Coordination of Limbs



Simplicity

Is it Reasonable to Assume That, If Sober...

Anyone Like **The Suspect**

You

The Judge

The Jurors

The Suspect

...Would “Pass” the Test?

Walk and Turn

(Divided Attention Test)

- Instructions Stage
- Walking Stage



One Leg Stand

(Divided Attention Test)

- Instructions Stage
- Balance and Counting Stage



Basic Purpose of Preliminary Breath Testing

**Demonstrate Association of Alcohol
with the Observable Evidence of
the Suspect's Impairment**

Advantages of PBT

- Corroborate other evidence
- Confirm officer's judgment
- Confirm alcohol as cause of impairment
- Help establish probable cause for DWI arrest



Possible Factors Affecting Preliminary Breath Tests

- Breath sample composition
- Breath sample cooling
- Residual mouth alcohol
- Contaminants in the breath
- Radio frequency interference

The Arrest Decision is Based on **All Evidence** Accumulated During All Three Detection Phases

Initial Observation of
Vehicle Operation

Observation of
the Stop

Face-to-Face
Observation
and
Interview



Observation
of the
Exit

Psychophysical
Tests

Preliminary
Breath Tests

Test Your Knowledge

- The two major evidence gathering tasks of Phase Three are _____ and _____
- The major decision in Phase Three is _____
- The entire DWI detection process culminates in _____
- Divided attention tests require the subject to _____

Test Your Knowledge

- Among the mental and physical capabilities a person needs to drive safely are these four:
 - A.
 - B.
 - C.
 - D.
- The two stages of the Walk-and-Turn are:
 - A.
 - B.

Test Your Knowledge

- The two stages of the One-Leg Stand are:
 - A.
 - B.
- The purpose of PBT is_____
- Two factors that product high results on a PBT are:
 - A.
 - B.

Test Your Knowledge

- Two factors that product low results on a PBT are:
 - A.
 - B.